

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

The specification as amended below with replacement paragraphs shows added text with underlining and deleted text with ~~strikethrough~~.

Please REPLACE paragraph [0020] on page 4 with the following amended paragraph:

**[0020]** To achieve the above and/or other aspect of the present invention, there is provided another apparatus for controlling a buffer which buffers a markup document to reproduce AV data in an interactive mode, comprising a buffer manager which manages the buffer to preload the markup document and outputs information of the buffer including buffering information of the markup document, wherein the buffering information includes information indicating that preloading of the markup document succeeded, information indicating that the preloading of the markup document failed, and information indicating that the preloading of the markup document is still ~~be~~being conducted.

Please REPLACE paragraph [0063] on page 13 with the following amended paragraph:

**[0063]** FIG. 8 illustrates a method of preloading files, the method corresponding to the operation 603 of FIG. 6. In operation 801, the presentation engine 5 identifies the path recorded in a link tag of the preload-list file and draws~~reads~~ the preload-list file. In operation 802, the presentation engine 5 interprets the preload-list file, which includes a preload tag that has the paths and attributes of the files to be preloaded as parameters, and performs a preloading of the files.

Please REPLACE paragraph [0073] on page 16 with the following amended paragraph:

**[0073]** The content decoder 52 may comprise an interpretation engine which parses and interprets the markup documents, and a browser which draws~~retrieves~~ the markup documents from the interpretation engine and/or the network. Here, the markup documents correspond to

various kinds of markup resources, ranging from markup text data written in HTML, CSS, or JAVASCRIPT to binary data, such as image data, audio data, or a Java program, which is referred to by markup documents. The markup documents are ~~drawn~~retrieved from the disk 100 or the network by the buffer manager 51 in the ENAV engine 50.